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DCI 25 September 1986 Meeting With Mr. Charles Pilliod, Ambassador-Designate, Mexico City

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This is to confirm a courtesy call with you by Mr. Charles Pilliod, Ambassador-Designate, Mexico City at 1100 hours, 25 September 1986. Mr. Pilliod will make a courtesy call on the DDO at 1030 hours on 25 September.
Chief, Latin America Division, will accompany Mr. Pilliod to all the meetings.

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COUNTRY FACT SHEET

1. MEXICO
2. POPULATION: 77,659,000
3. PORT FACILITIES: Yes
4. Federal Republic
5. LEADER: President Miguel DE LA MADRID Hurtado, 50 Years old,
good health
6. SECRETARY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE: General Juan AREVALO Gardoqui
7. OPPOSITION PARTIES: Conservative: National Action Party
(PAN); Unified Socialist Party of Mexico
(PSUM)
8. NEXT ELECTION: July 1988
9. CHANCES OF VICTORY: Incumbent cannot succeed himself under
Mexican law; however, he names his
successor and the chosen candidate is
traditionally elected
10. ECONOMY: Main Industries: Petroleum, food processing,
chemicals, mining, and textiles
Main Products: Petroleum, natural gas, timber,
coffee, cotton, and sugar
11. CONDITION OF ECONOMY: Poor
12. CURRENCY: Mexican Peso - 744 pesos to U.S. \$1
(official free market)
13. UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR (Designate): Charles Pilliod
DCM: Morris Busby

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